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SUMMARY.

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A German official report stated: The English enetrated between the village of Poelcapelle

The Russian Embassy at Washington has received reassuring advices from Russia. The Socialists do not desire supreme power.

The new Russian Council favours order and construction and the reform of the army.

The capture of these islands will deprive the Russians of their hitherto predominant posi-tion in the gulf.

The Government has decided to put aside political affairs, and concentrate its strength on the defence of the country.

A Mescow paper reports a speech of General Alexieff, in which he forecasts Japan's entry into the European theatre of war.

It embraces legislation for the preventi-of strikes and the establishment of a syste of insurance against unemployment.

The Minister recognised the generous spaces of the residents of Manilla to be the industries going during the sirike. The Pederal Government has submitted fresh proposals to the States regarding future borrowings.

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AUSTRALIANS' SHARE.

of the night, but the troops were by no means no wearled before the start as in the last attack, which was made after a protracted struggle with the Flanders mud.

LONDON, Oct. 14. Ing decidedly in our favour. A hundred their fifth attack since Septem were particularly heavy.

A later French communique stated: North of the Alsne the Germans during by a first that the British attacked at 5.25 the light hundred several attacks on our am, along a six miles front portheast—positions in the Hurtebise-Chevraux sec.

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AFTERMATH OF

the submarines to reduce Engiand before the lend of the summer. Another factor was the transportation of United States soldlers without a casualty. The resignation has heightened the belief that the trouble in the German navy is more serious than suspected. We counter-stacked and restored to Socialists, knowing that his road. The chemy's artillery forced back retfreement sty miles north-ensurement.

they declare, must be well under control, otherwise the censor will not permit a word of it to go out.

The "Tribune" expresses the opinion that the time is not ripe for a projetarion revolt the time is not ripe for a projetarion revolt.

MINISTER RESIGNS,

GULF OF RIGA, LATE WAR NEWS

GERMAN MOVE.

TWO ISLANDS SEIZED.

LONDON, Oct. 13. A Russian communique states: The enemy landed one or two divisions on Oesel and Dago islands, in the Gulf of Riga. The uebarkation was carried out with extraoections. with extraordinary rapidity. The enemy had been preparing for this operation for a long time; and the weakness of the patrol

service favoured the movement.

The capture of these islands will deprive us of our hitherto predominant posi-tion in the Guif of Rigs, and indicates fresh enemy operations, probably in the direction of Hapsal. These events may change of front will be nece it nearer the Wenden-Walk line

it nearer the Wenden-Walk line.

The Government has decided to put aside political and domestic affairs and concentrate all its strength on the defence of the country. The communique mentions that the coast batteries were silenced.

some advanced posts north of the road.

The enemy took several trenches in the Buczacz region (Galician, front), but we counter-attacked and recaptured them. A Russian official message tated:-We drove out the Turks from

GERMAN ACCOUNT.

A German statement says: In combin a footing on the island of Oesel An official message from Berlin receive via Amsterdam says: Naval airsbips and aeroplanes repeatedly attacked militar es tablishments in the Guif of Riga and tablishments in the Gulf of Riga dropped 1000 bombs.

IMPORTANT BASE.

point out that the possession of Oesel and Dago will give Germany an important

INTERNAL RUSSIA.

BRIGHTER PROSPECTS.

A message from Washington says the tussian Embassy there has received the of which Addid minimport on board and the received the most pleasing advices from Russia, which will be selected that the Socialists do not desire on board and the socialists of the selected that work done for Admirally strong washing a large of the Russian Council lies the large washing washing a large of the real Russian for the selection for the successor. As including all classes, It favours order, other ships, construction, and the reformation of the Children was adjourned to October 25.

The "New York World's" Petrograd correspondent had an interview with M. Verkhovsky, the new War Minister, who verkhovsky, the new War Minister, who said: "By the spring rod will see a new The new National party has nominated a Russian army, based on principles of initiative. We are travelling on the right road and must succeed. We fight road and must succeed. We like a of the reorganisation, he added, is to have gain the confidence of the rank and file. We must oust old commanders and their methods, and profitably utilise the soldier. The magistrate presumed his object will be represented by the result of the

AMERICAN OPINION.

It is believed in Washington that the muting in the terman Navy is more serious than announced, and indicates that its moral is cracking under the strain of the U boat drafting, and the failure of the realisation of the boasts of Admiral von Tripite. It is thought the Emperor will now hesitate to send out the fleet. His recent grandiloquent praises of the navy seem ironical.

Some officials believe that Admiral von Capelle's reference to Russian revolutionary by to Sweden's protest regrets the despatch of Count to Luxburg's lelegrams and his late and internation that President Wilson drove a wedge distinguishing between Kaiserism and the German people.

The "New Yorker Volkszefung," which was recently deprived of mailing privilegen, joyfully halls the mutiny as "the first gleanings of an approaching dawn, lighting up the international sky." It predicts gurther more distance of the navy was an imposing spectacle.

many. Now he is being brought to the Ar-gentine, whence he will be sent to Germany.

GERMAN MOVE IN THE BALTIC.

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GULF OF

RIGA

OF FINLAND.

MUTINY.

RAIDS AND REPULSES.

Sir Douglas Haig, reporting at 12.40 p.m., states: The enemy's artillery was active last night to the north-eastward of Ypres. We repulsed reconnoitrers west-ward of Becelaere and the northward of Poelcapelle, and war Poelcapelle, and we successfull the neighbourhood of Hulluch.

AERIAL OPERATIONS.

The Admiratty announces: The weather as restricted the naval operations of our vistors. Yesterday one of our fighter atrols at Ostend shot down an enemy

EAST AFRICA.

THE BRITISH ADVANCE.

an omerat report of the East African campaign asys: On the right a column of troops from Kilwa occupied Rujonda, an important junction of tracks at the north-western end of the Muera Plateau, and enemy's main body, whose rearguard is be-

ITALIAN FRONT.

An Italian official message states: We crushed an attempted attack in the Cost bella region.
Our batteries on the Carso dispersed troops marching eastward of Custagnavizza, and fire to an ammunition dump in the San

HELPED AN ESCAPEE.

The "Daily Express" understands that the order to intern Laggio de Lombos and not or rescinded. Many influential friends tratified to the artist's integrity, but it was proved that he momentarily assisted an excaped Hungarian officer who was hiding in a London botch.

MILITARY AERONAUTICS.

The War Office announces that Major-General Sir William Salmond has been ap-pointed Director-General of Military Aero-nautics, in succession to Lieut-General Sir David Henderson, who is undertaking special work.

Sir William Salmond reaches the Arms.

Council at the age of 36. He was a captain at the outbreak of the war.

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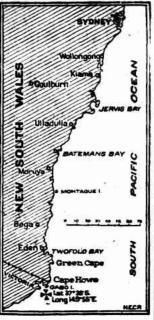
WELCOME IN SYDNEY.

in a short speech be gave the assurance that their work the metheriand was appreciated as the freedom in the stell. Colonel Roth, at the Red Cross, welcomed them to Sydney, and told if arrangements being made for their inment while they are here. Brigaberal Lee visited them, and spoke a do on behalf of the Australian milliborities, and a message of welcome a Governor of New Caledonia welcome bem. One young man a colonia welcome in the second of the submarine.

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The oversea exports during August amounted £2,182,234, being a decrease of £1,275,587 363 per cent, as compared with the cor-sponding month of last year.

The principal increases during the two menths were: Wool, £1,065,831; butter, £5856, "other" pastural produce, £126,442.

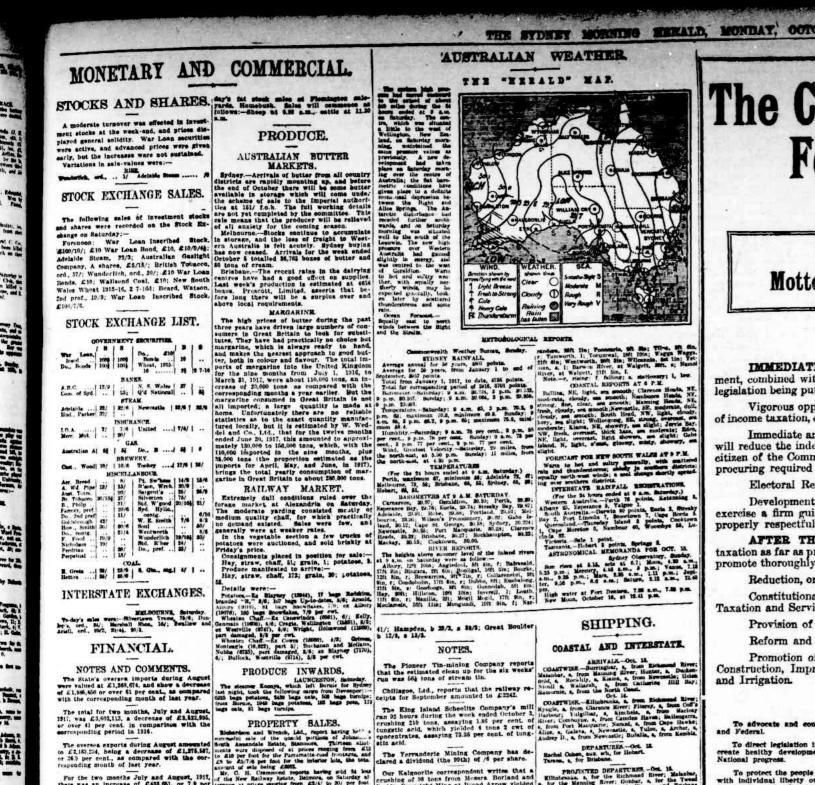
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rails a steady and profitable market for a rariety of commodities, such as steel, petro- cum, and a long list of manufactured goods.	market.	tone, 112or. Oswald (fortnight), El tone, 110or; Ade-	THE MAILS.
ariety of commodities, such as steel, petro-	THE SHARE MARKET.	long Creek, N.A.W. No. 1 drender, the life, Print: Adelong	
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derits of the different companies informed the	tations were:	(torinight), 1840r; Rock Mountain Extended, Beechworth (four weeks), 412 hrs., 1580x; Tewkshury Proprietary, Arginen (N.S.W.) (fortnight), 1840x.	South Australia Overland, 4.80 p.m.
Journal" that the monthly average of sail-		worth (four weeks), 412 hrs., 1500c; Tewkshury Pro-	Victoria Overland. 4.20 p.m.
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and an entirely inadequate number of ships to	Mammoth Copper	OTTORNA MADEUM CADITO	TUESDAY.
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oms was made to relieve the situation in the	Mount Leell 1 6 0		WEDNESDAY.
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his leaves the Australian trade to the British	Wallareo and Moonta 115 2	LONDON, Oct. 13.	Continent of Europe (letters only)12.80 p.m.
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t was said that there were very few ships at resent under the American flag, and that soon	Deebunk Dradeine said 0.18 0 -	Rabbits are nominally unchanged.	Tasmania, via Melbourge4.20 p
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ith the submarine menace.	Tone sab Company	gian, with a little Australian and New Zea-	Parourable weather amound them with rithrees
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ca is that conditions will not improve, since	Toucish Compound 9 13 0 13 4 Trong - 0 10 0 0 SILVER - 0 10 0 Reliable Broken Hill (old) 114 4) 114 76 Reliable Broken Hill (old) 114 4) 114 76 Reliable Broken Hill (old) 115 0 1 1 0 Reliable Broken Hill (old) 116 0 1 0 Reliable Brok	HIDES, LEATHER, AND BASILE.	Favourable weather aming at thoulanch mirrors making a number of excellent access on animals. The making a number of excellent access on animals. The part of the performance was that of W. K. Ar at. Magneta General's bepartment, who exceed the position—the access to the performance of the Performa
United States and England will divert all	New Bouth Wales, etc.	There are no wet salted hides offering. Dry	General & Department), who seems use put me- as at
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it the London closing mean metal quota-	Ditto Deep Levels 1 4 6 1 4 9	at 11, Clothing; at 3, Jewellery, etc.	W F Astill 70: N. L. Powys, 64: T. F. Preiss, 64
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pper, best selected., 121 ten Unch	Gold: Edna May Deep Levels, siz weeks, 24/6, cash 34/8; 34/2; Bendigo Amalgamated, said 2/6	2. Furniture, etc.	As follows 10 shots - Yorkshire Koristy Mr (D. Kr.
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stan., spot 346/12/6 ton 15/ up	six weeks 13/10; New Burragorans, 5/5; North B.H., 56/2, 57/; British (old), 24/6, six	W. DIGLIS and SON. At their Bazzar, Camperdown, at 16.80 and 12. Horses, Vehicles, and Harness.	Laine and Bruce, MY (O. W'Denald M. A. W'Denal
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HOMEBUSH FAT STOCK BALES.	LONDON SHARE MARKET.		survey Malvern (Ver), writes that he would
TO-DAY'S SUPPLY.	LONDON, Oct. 12.	RECORA is the best present for Piles Person	
There are 20,780 sheep from \$1 owners, and	On the London Stock Exchange to-day British E.H. (old) shares were quoted b 44% a	Hom and all Skin Diseases. It is soothing and head-	on any account. He tells his friends to take
Il cattle from 64 owners advised for the	tich B.H. (aid) chares were gusted b 46, a	ing to the skin, - Adet.	H-MYL



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Vigorous opposition to the unscientific, arbitrary taxation of specified individuals by means of a fictitious system of income taxation, commonly but erroneously called the "Eligibles" Tax.

Immediate amendment upon a sound basis of the Federal Land Tax Assessment and Progressive Rating Acts that will reduce the indefensible injustice of the present system, and will accord material advantages to every responsible citizen of the Commonwealth as an alternative means—in lieu of the War-Time Profits and the "Eligibles" taxes—of procuring required revenue.

Electoral Reform, with provision for Proportional Representation.

Development of Commercial and Industrial interests, both State and Federal, upon a basis of true economy, and to exercise a firm guiding influence over all Government Departments in order to assure intelligent, business-like, and properly respectful administration.

AFTER THE WAR.—Reconstruction of the fiscal system upon scientific principles so as to simplify and reduce taxation as far as practicable, to render its incidence more equitable, and to co-operate with and assist the Empire to promote thoroughly sound and practical inter-National reforms.

Reduction, or abolition wherever practicable, of restrictive laws hampering Commerce and industry.

Constitutional Reform: Amendment of the Federal Constitution to embrace authority and control of all National Taxation and Services, and reduction of the powers of the Parliaments of the States accordingly.

Provision of effective means for equitable settlement of Industrial disputes.

Reform and simplification of the Land Laws, and the system of their administration.

Promotion of rural development and interests by means of a vigorous Public Works Policy, including Railway Construction, Improvement of Bar Harbours and Coastal Ports, and a comprehensive scheme of Water Conservation

OBJECTS.

To advocate and consistently uphoid sound principles in legislatic and Federal.

To protect the people from the barassing, costly, and unfair interferences with individual liberty our many inconsistent laws involve, and which are frequently rendered extremely more acute than need be by red-tape, arbitrary or confused interpretations and administration.

To decide upon and demand reforms, and direct equitable adjustment of all legislation—presently existing, or proposed—that unwisely and unfairly treepasses upon and sacrifices legitimate or the proper rights of individuals; and generally, to assist the people to make themselves more completely masters of the management of National affairs.

The immediate purpose of the Federation is to save the community from the calamity that will fall upon all the people by attempted enforcement and administration of the War-Time Profits Tax, and the "Eligibles" Tax, and also to endeavour to reduce the confusion and general entanglement in which the Federal Income Tax Administration has become involved. There is, of course, a vast field for intelligent action in regard to Home and World-wide Reforts, but opportunity for general reconstruction will not become practicable till after the War.

Meanwhile, therefore, the present objective is to conserve the public welfare from threatened disaster, but later on, when conclusion of the war renders caim deliberation more practicable, the intelligence of Australia united by means of the Federation should make its weight and influence felt, not alone within the Commonwealth, but throughout the Empire.

Citizens of the Commonwealth of Australia-

Do men gather grapes from thorns or figs from thistles? Surely not Neither will freedom, progress, and peace ever be obtained by means of legislation that imposes restrictions upon Commerce and industry, and permits confection of all natural rights belonging to every citizen.

Consequently, how can it be possible to obtain any real improvement by pursuing a "inissex-faire" policy, continuing to indulge in legislation that hampers trade with fectitions burdens, and measures that impose restrictions upon equitable liberty of action, or which deny and confiscute the unquestion-able right of every citizen to use his own intelligence in directing his busi-ness pursuits without dictation or interference?

What are the conditions to-day? Has not the situation, from bad at the beginning, grown gradually but steadily worse, until the climax reached has become so intolerable as to engender feelings bordering upon open revolt?

Surrounded by a network of unsound laws and systems of absurd legis-lative patchwork, Commerce and industry are bound hand and foot in legisla-tive shackles, until it is doubtful whether there can be found one person in the Commonwealth who is fully aware of what he may legally do while it is exercise; improve this for anyone to intelligently conduct his business without

There is little need to enlarge upon the calamitous conditions that have fallen upon us with steadily increasing acuteness since the birth of "Federation." The divided authority and control exercised over taxation and other National affairs by the Federal and the several States' Parliaments, their crease instead of reduction of Parliaments, each with separate powers of taxation and spending rights, combined with their expensive upkeep, is all too great a load for a young Nation to carry. While the crushing influences and effects of the mass of improper legislation given us are too fully restined by all the people to require flinstration.

It is imperative the mistaken systems of the past and persistent barking up the wrong tree must not be permitted to continue, but a determined stand must be made against the rampant injustice that has grown with increasing force over many years, and the course must be altered without delay to save the ship of State from becoming a hopeless wreck.

No better evidence of the failure of the half-hearted, muddling policies of mixed principles pursued by our several Governments during the last quarts of a century can be needed than the conditions that surround us to-day. Are they satisfactory? Will any person venture to allege they are?

Is it not true that the position has been one of continual drift?—a steady drifting from bad to worse, increasing in magnitude and force year by year, until latterly the pace has become so rapid that the public interests have been hurled headlong into chaos, and are completely buried therein?

The main factors have been imperfect conception regarding Facts in Nature, indifference to principles, and because the Liberaliam of the ensimble Idberal Farty has been unsound. Because the leaders of the Liberal Farty have never had the courage to lead consistently on the lines of true Liberaliam, or, perhaps, in some instances not too thoroughly understanding its fundamental principles, they did not know that they were right off the

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This, of course, is all quite a natural sequence, because it is ever true that "as ye sow so shall ye reap." And complete verification of that undeviating natural law from which there is no escaping, is in full evidence in everything about us to-day.

Then why adhere to these proved wrong methods? Wuy hesitate to nge the course, especially when a moment's calm redection must show at urgent need there is for radical alteration?

Land value taxation must form an essential part of the altered base, but must be a true and perfectly equitable system, not a wild, unacientific ass tax that professes to aim at certain objects which in large degree it takes; but hits where it does not profess to aim, and inflicts harsh injus-se without even a shadow of good purpose resulting from its misdirection.

A tax on the State-carned value of land, without exemptions, abould form the base of new departure (a tax which is really not a tax at all), and equivalent reduction of some most oppressive existing imposts should correspondingly be made, so that the change does not involve additional taxation, but merely an alteration of incidence.

Thus by a simple adjustment on a natural foundation, everyone who has land would contribute his fair share only, and all would participate the far-reaching benefits the system would create.

How different this to the unjust measure of graduated tax enacted by the minonwealth Parliament, which harshly hits a comparative handful of the tire land-owning population and lets all others off scot-free.

At least, such would appear to be the effect of the impost, but it is not so in reality, because injury (and that wild scheme, the Federal Land Tax, is grossly unjust, and burtful without intelligent redeeming feature throughout its cumbersome, confused structure) inflicted on a portion of the body politic equally hurts and injures every other portion of the community.

Therefore, those who momentarily scape and may flatter themselves that the impost is the "other fellow's" burden, inter on have found that they are helping to carry it, and that no beneficial development is really created anywhere; but stagnation, discontent, and loss reign supreme throughout every branch of industry. This organisation has consequently been formed with a constitution that will admit of every reasonable person of both sexes associating with it; and with its base laid, as it is, so thoroughly broad and open, it will permit of the superstructure of Commercial and Industrial development paing built to any

degree of perfection the combined intelligence of the people deems to and practical. In fact, what the future legislation shall be must upon the united efforts and wisdom of the whole people. It is our intention to form Branches in every State and Electorate throughout the Commonwealth, and by careful study and crucial examination of the questions of the day, combined with active organisation, thus to afford the people opportunity to better understand and become agreed upon the legislation thy desire, and to command the faithful carrying out of their wishes.

Methods of bluft, bounce, and narrow red-tope are all too frequently per-seed in ways that render the effect of the measures much more harsh and becuttable than really need be, or this over was really intended by the Par-laments.

For many reasons if frequently does not suit individuals to enter into contest with the Departments, but every reasonable practice, or injustice found pressing unduly upon any trade or section of the people, that is brought under the notice of the Association's Executives will receive attention with a view to prompt equitable adjustment and reduction of needless

By this means a powerful organisation will speedily be built up, and, when the Parliaments see, as they will do, that the people are thus united against the intolerable injustice of the burdens that have been cast upon them, it may be relied upon as certain there will be few members who will dare to disregard the well-considered requirements and demands of the

On behalf of the Provisional Committee,

WILLIAM HARDING, Chairman. H. C. MACFIE, Hon. Sec. (pro. tem.)

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